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PATENT APPLICATION

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HIROSHI SATOMI, et al.

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PROVIDING SYSTEM,  
TERMINAL APPARATUS,  
AND STORAGE MEDIUM  
STORING INFORMATION  
PROVIDING PROGRAM

Examiner: E. Colbert

Group Art Unit: 3624

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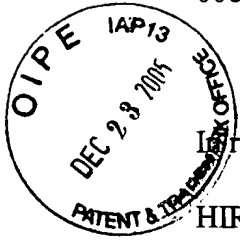
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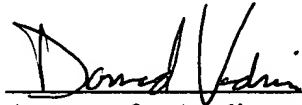
Applicants also respectfully request the Examiner to issue initialled copies of Forms PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statements dated as follows:

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of each of the listed documents, except for the U.S. patent documents, is enclosed.

The Japanese documents were cited in an Office Action in a Japanese application corresponding to co-pending Application No. 10/756,772. A copy of the Japanese Office Action, which is dated October 17, 2005, is enclosed. Also enclosed are English-language abstracts for the Japanese documents.

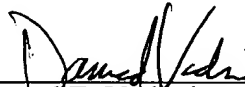
The U.S. patent documents were cited in a Notice of Allowability which issued in co-pending Application No. 10/756,772.

We also enclose a check for \$180.00 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2). Any overpayment should be credited and any deficiency should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

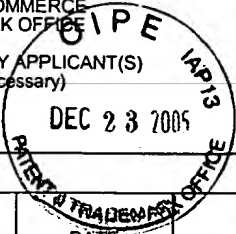
It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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